27 August 1962

MEMORANDUM FOR ACTING CHAIRMAN, USIB

SUBJECT: Chairmanship of Joint Atomic Energy Intelligence Committee (JAEIC)

l. As you will recall, Mr. McCone's memorandum regarding designation of CIA, as Chairman of JAEIC vice Dr. Scoville was distributed to Intelligence Board members during the executive session at the beginning of last week's USIB meeting. Mr. McCone noted at the time that Board members might wish to have their staff officers review this matter before the next meeting.

- 2. In the interim since the USIB meeting of 22 August two Board members (General Blake and General Breitweiser) have advised of their concurrence in appointment.
- 3. You may wish, therefore, at the 29 August USB meeting to make reference to Mr. McCone's memorandum on the subject and determine whether there is any objection to the designation, as proposed therein.
- 4. Quoted below for information is the paragraph in DCID No. 3/3 which pertains to this matter:

"Chairman of the Joint Atomic Energy Intelligence Committee

"The Chairman of the Joint Atomic Energy Intelligence Committee shall be designated by the Director of Central Intelligence in consultation with and with the concurrence of the Intelligence Board. The Central Intelligence Agency shall provide appropriate secretariat support."

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